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N27180702EApplication Serial Number:
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Huynh, AndyGroup Art Unit:
2818

Invention: Semiconductor Device and Method of Manufacturing the Same

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	14	MINUS	20	0	\$50	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	0	\$200	\$ 0.00

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of _____ to and through ____, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

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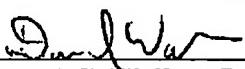
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Conditional Petition for Additional Extension of Time

It is believed that the indicated items are timely filed. However, in the event an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a).
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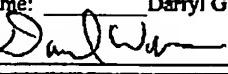
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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10 A. Introductory Comments

The following is submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2004,
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